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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, PK
SUBJECT: SITUATION IN LAHORE

REF: 0423

1. ON APRIL 26 CURFEW LIFTED FROM 0400 UNTIL 1730
HOURS FOR ENTIRE CITY OF LAHORE. SITUATION APPEARS QUIET
AND TRAFFIC VISIBLY LESS THAN NORMAL.

2. AS RESULT OF PRESS CENSORSHIP LIMITED NEWS OF
OPPOSITION AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC. STUDENT LEADER JAVED
HASHMI (WHO WAS RELEASED FROM DETENTION APRIL 20 AND
HAS SINCE BEEN POLITICALLY ACTIVE) AND LYALLPUR LABOR
LEADER SABIHA SHAKEEL WERE ARRESTED UNDER DEFENSE OF
PAKISTAN RULES.

3. NAWA-I-WAQT GIVES PROMINENCE TO REPORT OF MEETING
APRIL 23 BETWEEN PRIME MINISTER BHUTTO AND MAULANA MUFTI
MAHMOOD AT SIHALA REST HOUSE NEAR RAWALPINDI (WHERE NUMBER
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OF OPPOSITION LEADERS UNDERSTOOD TO BE DETAINED). ACCORDING
TO REPORT, THE TWO MET FOR TWO AND HALF HOURS IN AN EFFORT
TO REACH AGREEMENT ON A POLITICAL SOLUTION TO PREVENT CRISIS.
A PNA PUBLIC RELATIONS SOURCE HAS CONFIRMED TO CONGEN EMPLOYEE
FACT OF MEETING, BUT NOT WHAT TOOK PLACE.

4. NAWA-I-WAQT EDITORIAL CRITICIZES PRESS CENSORSHIP ON

GROUNDS IT FORCES CITIZENRY TO TURN TO UNRELIABLE RUMORS
AND FOREIGN BROADCASTS FOR NEWS.
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